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7-52 AM CST URGENT 12-10-64 WSW

TO DIRECTOR AND JACKSON

FROM NEW ORLEANS /157-NEW/

UNSUBS, TWO. FRANK MORRIS VICTIM. FERRIDAY, LA., DECEMBER

TEN SIXTYFOUR. RM. RACIAL MATTERS.

AT APPROXIMATELY TWO AM THIS DATE, TWO WHITE MEN ENTERED THE SHOE STORE OF NEGRO VICTIM AND SPREAD SOME

INFLAMMABLE LIQUID ABOUT. VICTIM WOKE UP AND WENT INTO THE STORE, AT WHICH TIME ONE OF THE UNSUBS THREATENED HIM WITH A SHOT GUN AND TOLD HIM TO RETURN TO HIS ROOM.

THE STORE WAS SET AFIRE WITH A RESULTING BLAST EFFECT POSSIBLY RESULTING FROM THE FLAMES IGNITING WITH A GAS

STOVE. VICTIM IS PRESENTLY IN VERY CRITICAL CONDITION

AT THE CONCORDIA PARISH HOSPITAL, FERRIDAY, LA., AND IS

NOT EXPECTED TO LIVE FOR MORE THAN FORTY EIGHT HOURS.

IT HAS BEEN MADE KNOWN TO LOCAL AUTHORITIES THAT IF

THEY REQUIRE OUT OF STATE LEADS TO BE COVERED OR DISIRE

THE USE OF THE FACILITIES OF THE FBI LABORATORY AND IDENTIFICATION

DIVISION, THEY MAY MAKE SUCH REQUESTS TO THE FBI. CLOSE LIAISON

CONTACT WILL BE MAINTAINED WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN THIS MATTER.

JACKSON IMMEDIATELY CONTACT LOGICAL INFORMANTS.

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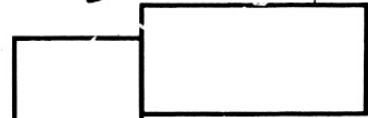
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